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TYPES OF ONE PRODUCTION

1. National Intelligence Estimates - The NIE is the end-product of the entire intelligence process, a product designed to serve as essential intelligence backing for United States policy and planning at the highest level of Government.
2. Special Estimates are limited NIEs, i. e., they give limited treatment of the subject and usually are produced on short notice to serve an immediate need.
3. Special Intelligence Estimates are NIEs with COMINT classification. They are rare.
4. Memoranda -- ONE uses informal memoranda to keep the DCI and the Deputy DCI informed of developments of an estimative nature. Informal memoranda also are used to furnish the NSC staff with intelligence support.